A meeting of the Amherst Town Council was held on April 14, 2008 at 5:30 P.M. in the Council Chambers of the Town Hall at 186 S. Main Street with Mayor Jacob P. Bailey presiding. Council members present were: Bobby J. Bondurant; Jason Campbell, Haney Mottley; Harold Swisher; and C. Manly Rucker, III. Town Manager Jack Hobbs, Police Chief Kenneth Watts, and Office Manager Colan Davis were also present.

Mr. Rucker made a motion that was seconded by Mr. Swisher to approve the agenda as presented. The motion passed 5-0. Messrs. Bondurant, Campbell, Mottley, Swisher and Rucker voted "Aye".

The Council reviewed a list of upcoming committee vacancies.

The Council reviewed the proposed FY09 budget. There was some discussion about the increasing the retirement benefit for police officers.

There being no further business, the meeting adjourned at 6:10 P.M.

	Jacob P. Bailey Mayor	
Attest:		
Clerk of Council		